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SUBJECT: EXPORT OPPORTUNITY FOR U.S. CROP DUSTERS

REF: SYDNEY 2518

1. COSMIC CORP. FOLDED TWO MONTHS AGO AND ALL INVENTORY
DISPOSED OF.

2. JOHN WEATHERLY, PRESIDENT, WEATHERLY AIRCRAFT CO., INC.,
BELIEVES AUSTRALIA HAS CERTAIN RESTRICTIONS PLANES USED
AGRICULTURAL PURPOSES MAKING CERTIFICATION DIFFICULT. HIS UNDER-
STANDING THAT PIPER AND ROCKWELL HAVE EXPORTED AGRI-
CULTURAL PLANES BUT HAD TO REMOVE SPRAYING APPARATUS FOR
ENTRY AND THEN REATTACH TO PLANE ONCE IMPORTED. THIS VERY COSTLY
PROCEDURE. WEATHERLY ALSO REPORTS GRUMMAN HAS SOME SORT
ARRANGEMENT AUSTRALIAN OFFICIALS CIRCUMVENT THIS PROCEDURE.
SUGGEST TC INVESTIGATE AND ADVISE AS WEATHERLY EXPRESSED
SIGNIFICANT INTEREST PROVIDING CERTIFICATION PROBLEMS CAN
BE OVERCOME.
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